

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: METHOD OF PROVIDING ACCESS CONTROL FOR AND/OR VIS-A-VIS USERS
ACCESSING THE INTERNET FROM TERMINALS VIA A PRIVATE ACCESS NODE,
AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR PUTTING THIS KIND OF METHOD INTO PRACTICE

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

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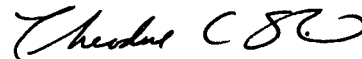
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Sir:

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